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Senator Maynard, Representative Guerrera, Senator Stillman, Representative Mikutel, Senator Boucher, Representative Scribner and distinguished members of the Transportation Committee, thank you for the opportunity to offer testimony in support of H.B. No. 6495 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING REVISIONS TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE STATUTES. We support this legislation with the addition of a technical change on line 463 we would like to include the word "licensed" after the bracketed term "accredited." This is to clarify that some schools in Connecticut can be licensed post-secondary institutions without necessarily being accredited. Current legislation bars certain schools from consideration in this program even though they are licensed though our Office.

We have discussed this technical change with the Department of Motor Vehicles and deem this an appropriate solution.

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